



Free Summer Camp Sign-Up Deadline Nears for Military Kids

Applications for military children to attend an "Operation Purple" summer camp free of charge will be accepted through May 15.

Operation Purple is the only summer camp program that focuses on helping kids deal with deployment-related issues.



Applications, a list of camp locations and camp details are available at www.operationpurple.org.

Officials encourage interested children from military families to apply for the camp nearest to their home, since travel expenses are not reimbursed.

Camps are offered in 23 states: Alaska, California, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Iowa, Maryland, Michigan, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Washington and Wisconsin.